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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, United States Intelligence Board

SUBJECT: Board Guidance for NRO in Management
of the Next KH-4 Mission 1007-J

1. At its meeting today the COMOR was advised by the NRO representative that NRO intended, in pursuance of the Board meeting of 17 June, to manage the collection of photography in 1007-J in the following manner:

- a. Highest priority targets in the USSR and highest priority targets in China.
- b. Other point targets in China and North Korea.
- c. Holidays in China and North Korea.
- d. Other point targets in the USSR and European satellites (excluding Yugoslavia).
- e. Holidays in the USSR and European satellites (excluding Yugoslavia).

2. The NRO representative requested COMOR for clarification as to whether this was COMOR's understanding of the intention of the Board.

3. In view of the interest expressed at the Board with regard to the need for coverage of the USSR in the light of both the four-month gap in coverage, the discovery of the single silos and concern about the deployment of those silos, and concern for the current information to be used in the preparation of the NIE 11 series, COMOR felt that this order of priority should be altered as follows:

- a. Highest priority targets in the USSR and highest priority targets in China.
- b. Other point targets in the USSR and European satellites (excluding Yugoslavia)

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c. Holidays in the USSR and European satellites (excluding Yugoslavia).

d. Other point targets in China and North Korea.

e. Holidays in China and North Korea.

4. For your convenience in considering this problem there is attached the present highest priority targets in the USSR and China which will probably change somewhat by COMOR's review of these targets in the light of the results of 1006-J-2.

5. Recommendation: In view of the uncertainty revealed by the discussion above, recommend that you indicate to the NRO whether it is the Board's intention to proceed as indicated in paragraph one above or in paragraph three.

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4 ExecSec/USIB
5 DDS&T
6 AD/SA/DDS&T
7 SA(COMOR)/DDS&T
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